

** ANTARCTICA. 15475.98 RC USB, Sat Oct 21 at 1753 tune-in via Argentine remote, LRA36 already on, S5 talk not just music; 1755 contact info; [lunchtime for me]; 1828 recreation of LRA36 when it was on 6030, 1968-69? 1843 IDs; 1844 multi-lingual canned IDs including English; 1856 quoting Horacio Nigro's La Galena del Sur blog from Uruguay, about LRA36. Too much else going on Saturday afternoons to listen to this for five hours straight! But some further chex: At 1918 I change to Brasil SDR. But there it does not sound quite right at .98; maybe best at 15476.15? But SDR must be miscalibrated as on WWV 15000.000, it says carrier -106 Hz! On some SDRs can't find a carrier to zero in on. Even with good modulation level, carrier at Brasília is JBA and hard to pinpoint. About 2000 mentions expecting a special program from Adrián Korol at 6 pm [=21z]. 2002, historic recording of first? contact between Antártida and Malvinas. 2041, it's up to S7/S9 at Bsla. 2126, ID with frequency, current temp +5, a heat wave. 2256 next check seems off. Is anyone hearing them any other days at 15-17? (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** ARGENTINA. AD149 pirate, 6935: see NORTH AMERICA [non]

** BOTSWANA. 15610, Oct 20 at 1453, S8/9+5 unID language, not WEWN! EiBi shows VOA KUrdis at 14-15 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CANADA. 28168 CW, Oct 20 at 2013, EEEEE VVV DE VA3KAH VA3KAH VA3KAH. WI5V roster:
28.168 VA3KAH C KAH-SHE ISLAND, ONTARIO # 5W, DIPOLE new June 2011 QSY from 28.172 4 May 15. Where is Kah-She Island?? Georgian Bay, not Kingston. Read all about it:
<https://www.qrz.com/db/VA3KAH>
VA3KAH Canada flag Canada
Ian Douglas Baines, 33 Faircrest Blvd, Kingston, ON K7L 4V1, Canada
LOTS of other 10m beacons in now, no time to chase more but including widely dispersed regulars XE1FAS, K6FRC, VE7MTY; and USB phone activity (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CHINA. 7410, Oct 25 at 1523, JBA pop music, S9/+10; 1527 maybe Chinese talk, continues 1530+. EiBi and Aoki show CRI Japanese via Jinhua 831 site. Also on 7410 at this hour, Iran in Arabic via Zahedan site. I'm checking whether anything still audible on 7 MHz band this late. 1523 UT = 0851 LMT, and today's Enid sunrise was 1248 UT, some 2.5 hours earlier. No sign of RNZP on 7440 now, to be 7390 from Oct 29. Not quite the OSOB: see 7300 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CHINA. 7300, Oct 25 at 1525, JBA music and talk at S4/S6, past 1530+. Aoki & EiBi show both in Mandarin, R. Taiwan Int'l and CNR1, i.e. jamming. Only broadcast signal still audible this late on 7 MHz band except 7410, q.v. (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CUBA. 9600, Oct 19 at 0654, RHC Spanish, VG S9+10, starting deportes report. Quite a while since I've found RHC on any overtime frequency. Missing from Aoki but EiBi shows Spanish to S America at 00-05 only. Also absent from ITU latest A23 sked as of July 18, nor

B23. Something's always wrong at RHC (Glenn Hauser, OK, WORLD OF RADIO 2213)

** CUBA. 13650, Oct 22 at 0022, S8/S9 open carrier direct, in fact the SS0B; must be the ``Portuguese`` music-only CRI relay, not turned off by 0000. Something's always wrong at RadioCuba (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** CUBA. 12000, Oct 23 at 0630, lite pulse jamming mixed with carrier at S4/S5, suspected RHC on 2 x 6000. Then checking 6000, yes, still on in English, suptorted S9+40. Back to 12000, now I can detect same JBM English. 6000 off by next check 0720. Something's always wrong at RHC (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** FRANCE. 13735 & 15300, Oct 23 at 1500, no signals yet from TDF Issoudun. Should resume bilingual weather and ranking info by Sat Oct 28 for the second stage of La Boulangère sailboat race; yet website bills this as ``without means of communication`` -- isn't that dangerous in case of emergency? Does that mean sailors are forbidden to have transmitters?! ``Une aventure hors norme, au large et sans moyens de communication.``

<https://minitransat.fr/>

``Départ de la 2e étape le 28 octobre à 13h (Heure locale)`` So is that UT, UT+1 or UT+2? Canary is UT+1 until October 29, then UT. Departure from Santa Cruz de la Palma; Arrivée inconnue à St-François Riviera du Levant, Guadeloupe (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** KIRITIMATI. 846 kHz, R. Kiribati: still not getting any trace of it direct; so I am trying via Oahu SDR which last season got it as early at 0430 UT, circa sunset there and on Xmas Island to the south: Oct 21 at 0435, nothing audible or visible on the H20fall, yet SAM synch lox onto a carrier displaying +0.4 to +1.1 Hz averaging +0.8. Don't see how it could be anything else from Pacific or Asia, let alone Europe. At next chex 0523 & 0555, there is a JBV fuzzy carrier, still nothing audible, and variation slightly greater, plus/minus 2 Hz. Some or all of that could be instability of receiver; or partly transmitter; or unstable propagation. Will keep checking periodically. June 8 at 0658 was the last time I logged a JJBBA carrier direct (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** KIRITIMATI. 846 kHz, Oct 23 at 0446, still trying to get R. Kiribati via Oahu SDR: nothing visible on waterfall, but SynchAM tries to lock onto signal plus/minus ~2 Hz. 24h earlier this was displaying a line at 846 but appeared to be boundary of something rather than a genuine signal (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** KIRITIMATI [non]. 846 kHz, re my not hearing carrier from R. Kiribati direct, and no more than an uncertain trace sometimes at Oahu SDR: ``Glenn - Here at Asilomar State Beach, have also noted no signal at all recently on 846 kHz. Conditions have been fairly good, as on Oct 22 (Sunday), actually had some rare audio on 1017 kHz, perhaps from Tonga, at 0701 UT, with religious singing; normally I only hear

with a carrier. Ron (California)` (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** KOREA NORTH. 11735, Oct 19 at 0710, very distorted talk at S6/S8, presumed VOK. Aoki shows nothing else on 11735 at any time, this hour in Russian; EiBi adds Zanzibar with poor audio at 1459-2100, but have seen no reports of it for many months (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** KOREA NORTH [and non]. 11985, Oct 25 at 1516, humroar obscuring talk and wobbling frequency, S6/S7. Scheduled is RFA Korean via SAIPAN at 15-19, per Aoki & EiBi, neither shown as jammed as this seems to be (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** MEXICO. 6200, Oct 19 at 0633, JBA carrier, presumed pirate Hikari FM, S7/S8 about equal to noise level. Nothing now from other NAM pirates on 7300v, 7320 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WORLD OF RADIO 2213)

** MEXICO. 6200 AM, Oct 20 at 0635, JBA carrier again presumed from pirate Hikari FM testing (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA. Monitoring the Saturday-evening surfeit on the pirate-band, UT Sunday October 22: 6965-USB, Oct 22 at 0023, music at S9+25, just in time for an ID, ``Wolverine Radio``. At 0101, SSTV beepery. 0109 next check, it's off. Many more reports here, including ``stained glass`` SSTV image; was jammed near the end:
<https://www.hfunderground.com/board/index.php/topic,119777.0.html>
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA [non]. 6934.9 AM, Oct 22 at 0024, JBA carrier, maybe trace of music, S7 = noise level. unID pirate. These conclude it's AD149 from ARGENTINA:
<https://www.hfunderground.com/board/index.php/topic,119773.0.html>
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA. 6870 USB, Oct 22 at 0026, distorted music at S9+10; 0027 YL ID, ``You are listening to Radio 48 via ---?``. 0032 another ID, I think ending with ``via Mix Radio International``. Many reports here as Radio 48 only:
<https://www.hfunderground.com/board/index.php/topic,119780.0.html>
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA. 6950 USB, Oct 22 at 0102, weak talk I first think would be local KCRC Enid on 5 x 1390 as sometimes audible, but USB talkover ``shut the -uc- up`` and some tones not SSTV. The victim is also USB only and not // 1390 stupid sportstalk. It's a political speech with applause. At 0111, music. unID pirates, apparently same as these, misdated Oct 21 instead of 22 amid others of 22.
<https://www.hfunderground.com/board/index.php/topic,119786.0.html>
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA [non]. 6935.0 AM, Oct 22 at 0107, music at S6/S7; so not same as earlier on 6934.9. Yet HFU treats it as the same leading to AD149 ARGENTINA:
<https://www.hfunderground.com/board/index.php/topic,119773.0.html>

(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** NORTH AMERICA. 6925 AM, Oct 22 at 0108, music at S7, unID pirate, no matches for this one at HF Underground (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** OKLAHOMA. 27184.45 AM, Oct 22 at 2222, steady S9+20 of gospel rock, still at 2234, // Air One on 91.1 FM, i.e. KKRD Enid. Local CBer pirate relay tying up a busy channel at least locally, atop hets from skippers on off-frequencies. Has relayed various other local FMs before. Not there 24h later facilitating skippileup (Glenn Hauser, Enid, WOR) See also UNIDENTIFIED

** OKLAHOMA. 95.7, Oct 20 at 1850 UT, KXLS Lahoma/Enid is OFF! Instead on caradio, weak gospel huxter; at 1853 overridden by KKAJ ID, like a meteor burst; or airplane scatter, in & out. 2000 local still off and Bott Radio Network singing ID; by 2007 I find it running about 1 second behind 800 KQCV. This all correlates with WTFDA DB:
K239BT KQCV-800 95.7 THE VILLAGE OK RELIGIOUS TEACHING BOTT RADIO
NETWORK 0.25 0.25 211.0 0.0 35-33-26 97-28-31 D2ED
KXLS 95.7 LAHOMA OK ADULT CONTEMPORARY MY 95.7 14.0 14.0 137.0 137.0
36-32-13 98-00-39 4DEC Adult Hits
KKAJ-FM 95.7 DAVIS OK COUNTRY TEXOMA COUNTRY 50.0 50.0 140.0 140.0
34-23-50 96-55-17 2A71 KKAJ Texoma Country 95.7 Country

The Village is a NW OKC suburb, where I dwelt 1954-1961y; unnecessary translator. I'd think KXLS might QRM it. Davis is way south in OK, 221 km = 137 miles from Enid.

ALSO OFF, sibling station of KXLS, at exactly same transmitter site:
KNID 107.1 NORTH ENID OK COUNTRY 107.1 KNID 14.0 14.0 137.0 137.0
36-32-13 98-00-39 3327 KNID Country Title & Artist
But two other siblings on 97.7 & 106.3, at separate sites, are not off. Nothing else heard on 107.1 but I see Bott has another overkill OKC translator there, El Reno. Something unID on 107.3; several possibilities around OK and KS. Both 95.7 and 107.1 are back on by next check circa 2200 UT (Glenn Hauser, Enid, WOR)

** OKLAHOMA. RF 17, Oct 21 at 0518 UT, K17JN-D, the multi-channel 3ABN satellator in Enid is still black and silent two weeks after first noted October 7. One suspects the 7DA aren't very serious about their broadcasting (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** ROMANIA [and non]. 11800, Oct 23 at 2207 direct, RRI English is a JBA understation beneath NHK in Japanese. For B23 from Oct 29 if not 28, everything one UT hour later and on different frequencies: including 2300 for WEu and us beyond 7220, to Japan 9620. Full English sked: https://www.rrr.ro/en_gb/frecvente-259
Explicitly for NAM: 2130-2200 9500, 0100-0200 7325, 0400-0500 9510
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** SPAIN. 17855, Monday October 23 at 2200, token English from SNR starts by giving B23 schedule in generalities of mostly Spanish, including 9690, which no doubt will include at 2300 instead, English

to us, Amy and also the voice of Justin Coe which has not been heard otherwise for several weeks; VG S9+15/20 direct. After news, 2210 feature is interview with a director of 'Ñ', the notable 15th anniversary of a literary festival on Oct 14-15, weekend following Spain's national day (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** SPAIN. 15520, Wed Oct 25 at 2200, token English from SNR is slightly better here off the back to ME, S9+20/30 vs 17855 direct to N America, S9+10/20. Begins with Amy Egan giving the new sked for ``winter`` from Oct 29, broadly but no details about English, who cares? which will surely become M/W/F only at 2300-2330. Notably she cites the African frequency as 17755, rather than 17775 which has been widely publicized by AER sourced to REE itself; which is wrong? HFCC agrees it's 17755. It also includes a number of frequencies which are never mentioned, must be alternates but not labeled as such woodenly: 21620, 15500, 15390, 15110, 11940. The ``new`` HFCC website is now intercepted by a warning as certificate has expired as of today: <https://new.hfcc.org/data/schedbybrc.php?seas=B23&broadc=REE> 2203 news; following feature is interview about the first private rocket launch from Spain (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TAIWAN. 9685, Oct 25 at 1520, choral harmony, gospel? S3/S6. No, Aoki shows Nippon no Kaze in Korean via Paochung at 1500-1559 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TASMANIA [non]. 9955, Sunday Oct 22 at 2232, ``Waltzing Matilda``, 2234 Hobart Radio International, with ``news`` via WRMI as sked (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY. 11785.009, Oct 20 after 2200, VOT English with VG S9+15/25 signal and even VG modulation today into Maryland SDR; includes 'Weekly Analysis' on Turkish relations with Israel until 2228, then multi-lingual ID filler reel; 2230 'Feeling Supreme/The Healing Spring' about diarrhea and nutrition, just right for supper time. After s/off announcement IS & ID still going, switching to German at 2256; 2300 timesignal and s/on German; starts news, 2301.5* chopoff. Something's always erroneous at Emirler (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY. 11785.009+, Oct 21 at 2200, VOT timesignal and opening English, VG S9+15/30 signal and good modulation too into UTwente, news dated Saturday, but probably originally broadcast at 1230. 2209, multilingual ID filler reel. 2211, music. 2216 travelog to Izmit, which is on an inlet just ESE of Istanbul, not to be confused with Izmir; music. 2229 'Gripping Piles' about warm temps in Antarctica, short pants wearable due to climate change, 18 March 2022, hot humid air blew in from Australia. 2232 more nice music. 2237 recipe for making jam from eggplants, on 'Turkiye's Geomarked [sic] Products'. 2240 music. 2246 always-by-your-side promo, music. 2249 with-you-every-hour promo, music. 2253 s/off with usual defects. 2254 about 6 notes of IS before chopoff* No finesse (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY. 11785, Oct 22 at 2224 check, VOT English not off the air,

S9+20 direct but plenty of ACI.

11785, Oct 23 at 2200 and later chex, direct nor via UTwente, VOT English not on the air. Nor on 9875, the 2030-2130 English channel sometimes staying past 2200 unmoved. UTwente sporadically lox onto an inaudible at 9875.003, else? Something's always erroneous at Emirler.

From B23, Oct 29, new sked will be 2300 on 5960; so if that be missing, check 9610 for the 2030-2130 channel possibly extended by dozers (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY. 11785, Oct 24 at 2201, VOT English not off the air, S9+20/30 direct; 2220 'Weekly Commentary' read by badax, penned by Miss something with degrees including Oxford about China's economy (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** TURKEY. 11785, Oct 25 at 2200, VOT not off the air today. Something's not always erroneous at Emirler; VG S9+20/30 direct. After news, 2209 'Review of the Turkish Press', something about UN Day. 2211 new promo marking the 100th anniversary of the Turkish Republic, which will be Oct 29. 2212 'Whipping Piles' about the gig economy for jobs. 2249 [not 2240 typo in original report] outro 'Feeling Supreme/The Healing Spring', something about honey. 2250 100th anniversary promo again; after s/off, 6 notes of IS to chopoff at 2255*, no finesse, thus fails to emit any extra German at 2300 from feed (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** UKRAINE [non]. Whatever became of Ukraine in the Mainstream Media which moved on primarily to the latest war elsewhere? Recommended, in English no less:
<https://www.rferl.org/russia-invades-ukraine>
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U K. eQSL received Oct 20 for Woofferton 80th anniversary special, and reply:

`Dear Glenn, Greetings from Encompass in the UK and thank you for your reception report of the '80 Years of Woofferton' special broadcast. Apologies for the delay in our response - we have been inundated with reports and are absolutely delighted the programme was so well heard and received. I agree with your sentiments RE Rampisham and Skelton!

You may be interested to know we will be repeating the programme on WRN English (all networks) at 21:00 GMT on Sunday evening, 22nd October.

By way of confirmation, I have great pleasure in attaching an e-QSL card. Should you be the winner of our e-QSL competition with a special Woofferton memento, we will be in touch. Again, thanks for listening and getting in touch. Best Wishes, Steve

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And here it is:

<https://www.w4uvh.net/Woofferton80.jpg>

Or #146 via

<http://www.worldofradio.com/QSL.html>

Some additional info about this:

<https://www.encompass.tv/historic-radio-site-celebrates-80-years/>

15245 kHz for North America (historic transmitter) --- The broadcast to North America will be a rare outing for the oldest transmitter at the site, a British-designed and built Marconi BD272 dating from 1963, which is maintained in working condition.

UPDATE: Click to listen to the special anniversary transmission

<https://www.mixcloud.com/EDMRadioOnline/woofferton80/>

This recording whilst studio-quality, runs only 42+ minutes, not including the last 18 minutes on air consisting of all those interval signals and IDs from WOF clients thru the years, repeating and repeating. But there's this on the BDXC iog:

I recorded the transmission using my Icom IC-705 with 20m long wire on 17785 kHz and have uploaded it to Google Drive and Dropbox
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1u36eEodvUu5V6DfdrqByHAcPHLT4AfgY/view?usp=share_link

https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fi/u6qbgdi0u432uq4d2dpxu/20231017_132843.wav?rlkey=q1hbtpl5s9tfboxyoye6kvnihq&dl=0

Hope these links work as I'm not very experienced with cloud storage.
73, David Mappin - Filey - UK

From Kraig W Krist on the WOR iog: While the following are NOT related to the 80th anniversary, they do contain Woofferton photos and information.

Diamond Jubilee For Woofferton's Wireless Wonder

https://bbceng.info/Operations/transmitter_ops/Reminiscences/Woofferton/pw-woofferton.pdf

Fifty years of transmitting at BBC Woofferton

1943 - 1993 A social and technical history of a Short Wave Station

https://www.bbceng.info/Operations/transmitter_ops/Reminiscences/Woofferton/woof50y-v2.pdf

73, Kraig (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U K [non]. 9440, Oct 25 at 0628, French S7/S9 until 0629*; back on a few seconds later slightly weaker S5/S8 at *0629.4 in unID language. Per EiBi this is BBC in French via VATICAN, then Hausa via ASCENSION. There is another of the latter preceding at 0529-0600. I can never

recognize Hausa; are there any keywords like in IDs or other clues we can use? I don't know if they actually utter this, but ``this is the BBC`` per Google translate becomes: ``wannan shine BBC" (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. 28300 CW, Oct 22 at 2236, beacon K6FRC, regular strong signal, readable OK tuned to 28299-USB, but on 28300 itself is a Brazuguese phone on USB; not respecting the ``beacon band``, which I suppose has no official/legal status (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2212 monitoring: confirmed UT Thursday October 19 at 0030 on WRMI 9395, S9+15/25 into Missouri SDR.

Also confirmed UT Thursday October 19 at 0130 on WRMI 5010, S9/+10 into Bonaire SDR.

Also confirmed UT Thursday October 19 at 0130 on WRMI 9395, S9+20/22 into Missouri SDR.

Also confirmed by Richard Lemke, Alberta: ``9395, 0031, 0045, 0059 (45343); 9395, 0131, 0159 (55433), October 19 UTC 2023 [Thu]``

WORLD OF RADIO 2213 contents: Australia, Brasil, Canada, China, Colombia, Cuba, East Turkistan, (El Salvador non), Eritrea non, India, Indonesia and non, Israel, (Japan non), Kaliningrad, (Korea North non), (Madagascar), México, (Myanmar), New Zealand, (Nigeria), North America, Perú, Russia and non, Sa`udi Arabia, Scotland and non, Taiwan, UAE, UK, USA, (Uzbekistan), Vanuatu, (Yemen non); propagation outlook - (countries mentioned along with others not in order)

WOR 2213 available from 0133 UT Friday October 20:

(mp3 stream) <https://www.w4uvh.net/wor2213.m3u>

(mp3 download) <https://www.w4uvh.net/wor2213.mp3>

Or via <http://www.worldofradio.com/audiomid.html>

Also link to podcast services.

2030 UT Friday IRRS 1323 & 918? & 207?-Italy

2200 UT Friday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also webcast, phonecast; jammed?]

0130 UT Saturday WRMI 5850 to NW

1630 UT Saturday WRMI 15770 to NE

1930vUT Saturday WA0RCR 1860-AM

0000 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]

0245vUT Sunday WA0RCR 1860-AM [nominal 0315; as late as 0457]

1030 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 [also webcast, phonecast; jammed by Cuba?]

2000 UT Sunday IRRS 1323 & 918? & 207?-Italy

0030 UT Monday WRMI 7780 to SW [irregular?]

0300vUT Monday WBCQ Area 51 6160v to WSW

0030 UT Tuesday WRMI 9395 to NNW [irregular?]

0330 UT Tuesday WRMI 7780 to SW

1300 UT Tuesday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]

2330 UT Tuesday WRMI 9395 to NNW

1000 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB

1030 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB [previous #2212]
2100 UT Wednesday WBCQ 7490v to WSW
0030 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW
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UNSOLICITED TESTIMONIAL

``Dear Mr. Hauser, Thank you very much for your work for the community of shortwave enthusiasts! I really appreciate it. I listen to your broadcast every Saturday via the Astra satellite. I hope you can go on with W. of Radio as long as you want to do it. Therefore you find some U\$ in this letter as my contribution! Greetings from the Grand Dutchy to Oklahoma. Yours sincerely, Arnold Heiles, Heinerscheid, Luxembourg``

One may also contribute in US funds but not necessarily, via PayPal to: woradio at yahoo.com

Or M0, check on a US bank to: Glenn Hauser, PO Box 1684, Enid OK 73702 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2213 monitoring: Confirmed Friday October 20 at 2030 on IRRS SW via AM Italia, 1323 kHz, S9+10/20 into nearby Noale SDR, but with considerable pop music CCI! Only other thing listed on at this hour by mwlist is 30 watts from Leeds, UKQOGBANI; or has Smooth Radio resumed? It's even worse by 2100 and definitely in Hungarian, so Romania's 15 kW minority service must have been expanded past 1900, or 2000?

Also confirmed first SWBC, Friday October 20 at 2200 on WRMI 9955, S7/S9 into Maryland SDR, over Cuban pulse jamming, which I was not hearing a few minutes before 2200. Next:

0130 UT Saturday WRMI 5850 to NW
1630 UT Saturday WRMI 15770 to NE
1930vUT Saturday WA0RCR 1860-AM
0000 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]
0245vUT Sunday WA0RCR 1860-AM [nominal 0315; as late as 0457]
1030 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 [also webcast, phonecast; jammed by Cuba?]
2000 UT Sunday IRRS 1323 & 918? & 207?-Italy
0030 UT Monday WRMI 7780 to SW [irregular?]
0300vUT Monday WBCQ Area 51 6160v to WSW
0030 UT Tuesday WRMI 9395 to NNW [irregular?]
0330 UT Tuesday WRMI 7780 to SW
1300 UT Tuesday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]
2330 UT Tuesday WRMI 9395 to NNW
1000 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB
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(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2213 monitoring: confirmed UT Saturday October 21 at 0130 on WRMI 5850, S9+20/30 into Missouri SDR.

Also confirmed Saturday October 21 at 1600 on WRN North America webcast.

Also confirmed Saturday October 21 at 1630 on WRMI 15770, only S7 JBA into UTwente SDR, European target area.

Also confirmed Saturday October 21 at 1948 about 17 minutes into so started circa 1931 on WA0RCR, 1860 AM, MO, S9+16 into nearby SDR. Also the 1930s on WRMI webcast-only and WRN North America stream. Next:

0000 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]
0245vUT Sunday WA0RCR 1860-AM [nominal 0315; as late as 0457]
1030 UT Sunday WRMI 9955 [also webcast, phonecast; jammed by Cuba?]
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(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2213 monitoring: confirmed UT Sunday October 22 at 0000 on WRMI 9955, S7/S9 into Maryland SDR, with considerable Cuban noise jamming but totally readable if you put up with it. Hardly audible at remotes in S America where this is aimed. You'll understand why I'm hostile to Cuba?

Also confirmed UT Sunday October 22 on WA0RCR, 1860 AM, MO, S9+15 into nearby SDR, already at 0300, about 20 minutes into so started way early circa 0240, the nominal 0315v, so would have been finished by 0310; Vern has to insert his own ID every deka-minute, often interrupting a word or thought of mine. He also has to cut my opening billboard to minimize the amount of music relayed; but is it OK if there be music on a clip? I don't let that influence what I may insert.

Also confirmed Sunday October 22 circa 1042 UT the 1030 on WRMI 9955, good signal direct during 1-minute sample recorded while I slept. Next:

2000 UT Sunday IRRS 1323 & 918? & 207?-Italy

0030 UT Monday WRMI 7780 to SW [irregular?]
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0030 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW
0130 UT Thursday WRMI 5010 to S
0130 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2213 monitoring: confirmed Sunday October 22 at 2000 on IRRS SW via AM Italia, 1323 kHz only, still not 908 or 207; S9+17 into nearby Noale SDR, Qur'anRM barely audible under from Iran, but unlike yesterday, no Hungarian heard from Romania. Also confirmed at same time on WRN Europe webcast, and on WRMI webcast-only.

Also confirmed UT Monday October 23 at 0030 on WRMI 7780, poor but sufficient into Durango2 SDR Mexico. But first 14 seconds totally blocked by utenoiseblast.

Also confirmed UT Monday October 23 at 0300 promptly on Area 51 webcast; WBCQ frequency not measured until 0344, 6160 -68v Hz = 6159.932 into NH SDR during HRI? Next:

0030 UT Tuesday WRMI 9395 to NNW [irregular?]
0330 UT Tuesday WRMI 7780 to SW
1300 UT Tuesday WRMI 9955 to SSE [also web-, phonecast; jammed?]
2330 UT Tuesday WRMI 9395 to NNW
1000 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB
1030 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB [previous #2212]
2100 UT Wednesday WBCQ 7490v to WSW
0030 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW
0130 UT Thursday WRMI 5010 to S
0130 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2213 monitoring: confirmed UT Tuesday October 24 at 0030 on WRMI 9395, S9/+20.

Also confirmed UT Tuesday October 24 at 0336 the 0330 on WRMI 7780, JBA direct, but at 0349 S8/9+5, sufficient into Louisiana SDR.

Also confirmed Tuesday October 24 at 1310 the 1300 on WRMI 9955, fair, as I happened to awaken during a local power outage. Next:

2330 UT Tuesday WRMI 9395 to NNW
1000 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB
1030 UT Wednesday Unique R, NSW 5035-USB [previous #2212]

2100 UT Wednesday WBCQ 7490v to WSW
0030 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW
0130 UT Thursday WRMI 5010 to S
0130 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW
(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A [and non]. WORLD OF RADIO 2213 monitoring: ``From: Richard Lemke, St. Albert, Alberta, Canada, the desk of Richard's listening Post, Radio: JRC NRD-535 HF, Antenna: random long wires in the trees, Dear Glenn: confirming WOR #2213, WRMI, 9395 kHz: 0030 (55343), S9 signal, confirmed; 2330 (45343), S7, S8 signal, 2359, [both] October 24 UTC 2023 [Tues]. 73's, Richard, October 25, 2023 12:10 am``

Confirmed Tuesday October 24 at 2330 on WRMI 9395, S9/+10 into UTwente which I happen to have running, surprisingly good despite way offside of 355 degree beam from Okeechobee.

Also confirmed Wednesday October 25 at 2100 on WBCQ 7490 -73 Hz = 7489.927, S9+10/20 into Maryland SDR. Next:

0030 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW {confirmed}
0130 UT Thursday WRMI 5010 to S {confirmed}
0130 UT Thursday WRMI 9395 to NNW {confirmed}

Thanks this week for financial support from Arnold Heiles, Heinerscheid, Luxembourg. See previous log reports for his unsolicited testimonial.

One may contribute in US funds but not necessarily, via PayPal to: woradio at yahoo.com

Or MO, check on a US bank to: Glenn Hauser, PO Box 1684, Enid OK 73702 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 9955, Oct 19 at 0641, TOMBS via WRMI-3 with crackly modulation as often here, but no such problem on // 5850 WRMI-12. So is it a WRMI-3 transmitter problem? Nor noted on 9955 elsewhere (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 15770, Oct 20 at 2023, classical music on WRMI, S9+10/20; yes, it's `Encore` now sked this hour on Fridays (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 7490 -72 Hz = 7489.928, Oct 21 at 0000, WBCQ with `AAAWWW`, also on 5130+ cutting away from Trumpcrap, no signal on 3265+; and 6160 - 68 Hz = 6159.932, after ID continues with some other far-right, far-christian huxter, contrary to program sked which claims it's also `AAAWWW`. Hmmm, sounds sorta like Biermann, but on BCQ? No, shortly mentions `Intelligence Report`, which is supposedly sked only at 0000 UT Tue on 7490. Right into how to stock up on guns and ammo. Claims USA is Soviet-occupied? Back to AAAWWW: at 0037 dated as Oct 20, and simulcasting only on 7490 & 5130 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 5890, Oct 19 at 0631, WWCR-4 is off again as scheduled overweeknights; a fluke being on last night? (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 3215, Sun Oct 22 at 0705 check, WWCR is off. Program sked now shows this WWCR-1 is off every night, 05-11 UT, while 5890 WWCR-4 TOMBS is off only on M-F and indeed it is on now and producing the usual leapfrog mixing product over 5935 WWCR-2 on 5980 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** U S A. 7505, Oct 19 at 0635, WRNO is OFF. We never know whether they may run all-night, and have not checked for it earlier from 0100, but Ron Howard says, ``USA[non-log]. 7505, WRNO, on Oct 18, believe this has been off the air for three days now! Ron California`` (Glenn Hauser, OK, WORLD OF RADIO 2213)

** U S A. 9475, Oct 25 at 1925, WTWW reactivated day frequency for brief test, notified by George McClintock. It's VG here as expected, S9+40 with gospel music and Biermann's IDs as ``Ancient Word Radio on 5085``, and again at 1934, cut off at 1938*. George says will officially start tomorrow at 3-5 pm CT, then change to 5085; i.e. 20-22 UT and 22+ onwards until Oct 29 when CDT becomes CST, so presumably UT will then be 21/23 (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** UZBEKISTAN. 15475, Oct 20 at 1452, JBA carrier, among many on the band but this one could QRM LRA36 if overlaps with its alleged 15-17 UT sked; not quite per EiBi:

15475	1300-1330	CLA Nippon no Kaze	K	KRE	/UZB
15475	1330-1400	CLA Furusato no Kaze	J	KRE	/UZB
15475	1400-1430	UZB Filler music		KRE	/UZB
15475	1430-1500	CLA Furusato no Kaze	J	KRE	/UZB

(Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** VANUATU. 9960, Oct 19 at 0640, RV at S5/S7 direct, music, then YL with phone number (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

** VANUATU. 9960, Oct 23 at 0634, R. Vanuatu still here, S4/S5 with drumming which often follows and precedes 0630 PSAs (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. Trans-Atlantic JBA MW carrier search, Oct 20 at 0329-0334, on the R75 with N/S interior shortwire: 1566?, 1044, 999, 855-2=strongest, 774-2, 711, 585, 576, 531 kHz.

Then I switch to the Wellbrook loop aimed E/W and get slightly better results tuning back upward at 0334-0342: 531, 576-2, 639-2, 684, 711, 729, 774, 855-2, 882-2, 909, 954, 999, 1017, 1026, 1044, 1107-2, 1125, 1296, 1305-2, 1422, 1503, 1521 kHz. -2 means at least 2 carriers beating.

Might have pulled a few more, but all the splash from obstructive North Americans on 10/kHz channels is fierce. Here in deep North America, with my ordinary equipment, getting any axual TA audio is rare. But hey, a signal is a signal, making the trip. Many of these

I'm sure are Spain but there are some intriguing other possibilities listed I won't go into now.

Trans-Pacific: 846, R. Kiribati, Kiritimati, so far have not detected this, if on the air? Would be audible as early as 0430 at least into Hawaii SDR, and of course direct long after TAs absorbed in daytime; anyway, nothing over 3 kW in Europe (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. Trans-Atlantic JBA MW carrier search, Oct 21 at 0418-0425 UT, on Wellbrook loop E/W into R75: 531, 558-2, 576, 585, 612-2, 621, 639, 657, 684, 711*, 774-2, 837, 855*, 882, 972-2, 999, 1098, 1107-2, 1332, 1422 kHz. *strongest; -2 = at least two carriers beating. Impossible on any frequencies ending in -0, next toughest those in -9 with USB step tuning 1 kHz below. See also KIRITIMATI (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. Trans-Atlantic just-barely-audible MW carrier search, October 24 at 0330-0335 on the E/W loop: 576, 612, 621, 639, 774-2, 855*strongest, 891?, 999, 1044, 1098, 1125, 1296, 1305, 1413 kHz. Notably missing: 711 from WESTERN SAHARA occupied by Morocco. Correlating with this posted at 0711 UT Oct 24:

``[bdxc-news] 711 kHz Morocco --- 711 kHz SNRT Laayoune Morocco has been putting a good signal into Playa Blanca Lanzarote but with very poor modulation. It normally makes it very difficult for me to receive WOR New York 710 kHz. This morning 711 kHz noted off, maybe for maintenance and excellent reception of WOR from 06.30 as I type at 07.10 just starting to fade but still audible. 73 John Hoad, Elad FDM-DUOr (Stand Alone) + Wellbrook ALA1530LNP, Playa Blanca, Lanzarote {Canary Islands}`` (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. Trans-Atlantic JBA MW carrier search, Oct 25 at 0653: 684, 711*strongest so WESTERN SAHARA is back on; 774, 837, 855 kHz. The others likely SPAIN (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 1210 kHz, Oct 25 at 0701 UT, CBS News with audio dropouts every second or two; figured it would be WPHT Philadelphia, but KGYN Guymon OK is also with CBS per NRC AM Log. KGYN tends to dominate here despite supposedly nulling toward WPHT (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 5041.65 USB, Oct 20 at 0712, 2-way in Spanish, very quick interchanges with cambios, JBA (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 6833-LSB, Oct 25 at 0637, same kind of tones we have been hearing on 7828-USB, HF trading test from AL or IL? (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 6938.0 AM, Oct 19 at 0636, JBA carrier where usually none; pirate? Nothing reported tonight at HFU but recently: <https://www.hfunderground.com/board/index.php/topic,118974.msg370373.html#msg370373> (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR) {Lucas Bandura says idling ute, not a pirate}

UNIDENTIFIED. 7674 approx., Oct 21 at 0700, beeps S9/+30 at rate of exactly one per second as if a timesignal (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 7830 LSB, Oct 21 at 0656, rapid sequences of notes, much stronger on LSB than USB but no carrier (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 7830, Oct 23 at 0646, S9 extremely distorted music bits cutting on and off rapidly, as if spurious from a broadcast. Same as 48 hours ago. Wonder if it could be WRNO way out of whack, missing from 7505 lately (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. [WOR] ``7830 oddity -- Check 7830 and what do you make of those musical? tonebursts echoing? As I have reported before, on now at 0349 and probably much longer span - Glenn,`` Oct 24 on the WOR iog; and I recorded a brief sample maybe to include in next WOR. Still on at 0658 check. Replies:

``Re: [WOR] 7830 oddity --- I think it is 7828 USB, the audio is properly centered then. There are odd short breaks in the strange echo but seemingly random. Quite strong here, maybe a KIWI TDOA will shed some info. MARS stations just came on 7831 USB at 0400 UT. Don Moman, AB, VE6JY``

``Don, did a single quick TDoA at 0509 and I get western Alabama: 32.90, -87.90. Your Kiwis were all occupied, and the Prince George one is always busy. 73, Walt Salmaniw, BC``

``I checked at 10 UTC (10/24), and found it was much stronger and steadier here on 5714 kHz than 6830 kHz and 7830 kHz, so a location fairly close in to North Carolina such as Alabama at around 500 miles or so would makes sense since the skip distance on those upper frequencies can get quite long in the fall heading towards winter. However, I checked back 19 minutes later at 1030 UTC and it was much stronger on 7830 kHz than before and stronger than it was earlier on 5714 kHz, so I'm not sure. The transmission source may be varying power levels and antenna target locations. I was no longer hearing it on 5714 kHz and 6830 kHz at 1030 UTC so I couldn't compare against those frequencies at that time. It was still on 7830 kHz and and not audible here on 6830 kHz and 5714 kHz at 1108 UTC.

Maybe it's WN2XKQ -

https://apps.fcc.gov/oetcf/els/reports/442_Print.cfm?mode=initial&application_seq=121165&license_seq=122901

The application does include a frequency range 7810 - 7850 kHz for "Market trials to evaluate the commercial feasibility of the use of this equipment and technology to facilitate financial trading services and markets in the HF band" -

<https://fccid.report/els/0127-ex-cn-2023/>

The initial filing does mention directional antennas being used on 7810 kHz - 7850 kHz with power levels of 3 kw - 24 kw. Doug White KA5ETS, Carrboro NC``

Re: [WOR] 7830 oddity [posted a few minutes later at 1127 UT Oct 24:]
``The current version of the filing shows a station location in
Illinois:

``Station Location City State Latitude Longitude Mobile Street (or
other indication of location) County Radius of Operation
Orland Park, Illinois, North 41 35 29, West 87 52 27, 10470 164th Pl,
COOK

Datum: NAD 83

Is a directional antenna (other than radar) used? Yes

Exhibit submitted: No

(a) Width of beam in degrees at the half-power point: 66.00

(b) Orientation in horizontal plane (degrees from True North): 50.00

(c) Orientation in vertical plane (degrees from horizontal):

Will the antenna extend more than 6 meters above the ground, or if
mounted on an existing building, will it extend more than 6 meters
above the building, or will the proposed antenna be mounted on an
existing structure other than a building? Yes

(a) Overall height above ground to tip of antenna in meters: 57.00

(b) Elevation of ground at antenna site above mean sea level in
meters: 218.50

(c) Distance to nearest aircraft landing area in kilometers: 18.60``

-- Doug White``

Note: I, gh, have not heard nor tried to hear this on any of the other
frequencies mentioned than 7830/7828. Earlier discussion from Oct *20*
on the WOR iog: {but later, see 6833 above}

``I heard something similar around 7830 kHz at 0517 UTC. It stopped at
0534 UTC. Very strong signal here in southern Ontario. I did a quick
check of online SDRs and it was audible at a good level right from the
west coast to the east coast. I got the impression it sounded like a
very distorted radiofax signal with a lot of echo. John VE3CXB
Hudak``

``It is on 6830 KHz again today (10/20). I first checked for it around
0250 UTC and found it on 6830 KHz with an S9+10 signal, then it
stopped at 0301 UTC, but started again at 0304 UTC. I checked 7830 KHz
at 0335 UTC and 5714 at 0337 UTC and did find it there too. It isn't
on 6945 KHz unlike on 10/18 when it was. It is still on as of 0415 UTC
today. Maybe it's WM2XZV or another HF trader with a new modulation
scheme. Doug White KA5ETS, Carrboro, NC`` (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)

UNIDENTIFIED. 27185 AM approx., Oct 24 at 2204, checking CB for any
local FM relay: no, pileup but briefly YL says ``tune to 90.1 or 91.3
FM``, and off; those do not compute for Enid (Glenn Hauser, OK, WOR)